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Pope's Warning To Rulers

Vatican City, June 2.
His Holiness the Pope today warned rulers of the world not to let the opportunity to restore normal relations between nations escape them.

"It could — God forbid it — be the last," he declared in a radio broadcast to the world.

The Pontiff said security, which "was to have been the fruit of victory," had not been achieved. He said "humanity ardently aspires" to this security.

In his St. Eugene's Day address he talked of the "great dangers," the formidable events of the present hour, the dangers that menace the world.

He said history's verdict upon the year 1947 would depend upon the coming months. "Do not," he cautioned the world's rulers "let this occasion pass." — Associated Press.

Grim Picture

The Pope warned that "revolutionaries of tomorrow" will exploit the despair and discouragement gripping Europe unless the peacemakers quickly re-establish the continent's physical and moral well-being.

The Pontiff drew a grim picture of the disillusionment, ruined lives and bungled peace efforts in Europe. He spoke in Italian for 25 minutes, broadcasting from his private library to the College of Cardinals and to the world.

"Once again we desire to export the nations of the world that security cannot have any solid foundation other than the physical and moral well-being during today's talk."

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Major-General J.G. Bruce, Commander of the Lahore area in the Punjab, said today in a special "order-of-the-day" that additional troops had been brought to the Punjab so that the army would be well prepared to give rapid aid to the civil authorities should disturbances arise from the announcement of the future constitution of India.

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Close Secret

Although the terms of the announcement, both in Britain and in India, are a secret as closely kept as the date of the Second Front, it is understood that the Viceroy invited the leaders to accept dominion status to take effect forthwith under the terms of the Westminster Statute.

An appeal has been issued by the Inspector-General of Police for volunteers in the force, and government, departmental heads were holding conferences today to decide on the line of action in case the strike comes off.

The Governor of Ceylon, who returned here from Kandy yesterday, was broadcasting a message to the public tonight.

About three hundred waiters, kitchen staff and room-boys at the premier European hotels here as well as 200 men in a rubber factory struck today. — Reuter.

DUTCH FORCES IN JAVA

Batavia, June 2.
The present strength of Dutch forces in Java totals 89,176, reports Aneta (Dutch news agency) quoting a competent military source.

The combined strength of Allied forces in Java and Sumatra—British and Dutch—was 90,150 on Oct. 14, 1946, which served as a basis for the permissible strength at the moment when the truce was announced.

Already 4,000 men have either been demobilised, recruited for rehabilitation as civilians, discharged or killed.—United Press.

VICEROY DISCLOSES PLAN TO THE INDIAN LEADERS

Full Text To Be Released In Delhi To-Day

Security Measures Put Into Force

New Delhi, June 2.
The full text of the British Government plan for the transfer of power in India will be relayed over all wireless stations in India tomorrow, immediately after a broadcast by the Viceroy.

Lord Mountbatten disclosed the plan in a two-hour session with the Indian leaders today.

After the meeting, Mahatma Gandhi was summoned to Viceregal Lodge, where he had a meeting with the Viceroy, lasting one hour.

A communiqué issued later arranged that the Viceroy gave the leaders a full account of the discussions both in India and in London of the British plan and of the arguments which resulted in its adoption.

Lord Mountbatten will resume his talks with the leaders tomorrow after the Congress and Moslem League Working Committees have considered the plan.

Later he will confer with the Nawab of Bhopal, Chairman of the Chamber of Princes, and fourteen representatives of the Indian States.

Army Ready

Elaborate security precautions were in force against any disturbances or demonstrations during today's talk.

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Urgent Matter

A fact militating against the Mission plan—still considered by Britain as the best method of transferring power—is the time limit, which commits Britain to depart from India by June 1, 1948.

This rules out a further protracted reexamination of the plan's merits. It will have to be adopted or rejected as the case may be and with the minimum of delay.

The reported security measures in India pending an announcement from the conference is, in itself, an explanation of the urgency which the British Government now attaches to final political decisions.

If India commits herself to division, the time factor will become doubly important for the creation of a separate Hindustan and Pakistan will involve Indian leaders, as well as Britain, in a colossal and, at least, duplicated transfer arrangements.

Here are some of the main points which observers think division will entail in the interim period.

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THE WEATHER

The anticyclones now cover C. China and the Pacific high-pressure area has retreated eastward. The viceregal winds remain strong in the northern Black Sea, the Brooks and SE Japan. A depression of this trough to the E of Tokyo is moving eastward.

Today's Forecast:—Moderate SW-winds equally at first, weather overcast, with heavy showers at first, but improving temporarily during the day.

Yesterday's Weather:—Northeast 10-12 m.p.h. Minimum 7.0 deg. Fah. 70° Sunshines 2.5 hours.

Rainfall:—88.1 mm.—2.15 inches. Total since Jan. 1—402.8 mm. as against average of 359.8 mm.

Readings at 10 a.m., 4 p.m., 8 p.m.: 10.00, 10.00, 10.00 m.b. Baro. at m.s. 10.00, 10.00, 10.00 m.b. Rainfall:—88.1 mm.—2.15 inches.

Wind Velocity:—SW. 10 deg. E.

Wind Direction:—SW. 10 deg. E.

Wind Force:—4-5 knots.

SAFETY MEASURES

Calcutta, June 1.
Large-scale deployment of troops will start in Calcutta at about 2 o'clock tomorrow morning, about eight hours before the vital meeting in New Delhi on the transfer of power.

Late tonight troops were in control of seven of the 24 police divisions in the city. British and Indian battalions now quartered in the city include the Green Howards, who were on picket and patrol duty tonight, each section with Sten gunners.

Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Moslem League Premier of Bengal, who has kept the provincial capital under iron control and frequent

P.P.C. FINANCE RESOLUTIONS

Nanking, June 2.
The P.P.C. ended its two-week session this afternoon during which more than 400 resolutions were passed. One of the last motions approved and sent to the Government for action recommended compulsory loans from the holders of idle capital and those with frozen foreign deposits in excess of fifty million Chinese dollars.

Another resolution passed just before the close requested the Government to borrow a certain percentage from private bank deposits abroad, including those in Hong Kong, on the security of Government bonds for the purchase of rice and wheat.—Reuter.

Recession Possible In U.S.

Montreux, June 2.
Certain post-war "distortions" in the American price and income structure "may lead to a recession," President Winthrop W. Aldrich of the International Chamber of Commerce said today.

The New York banker told the International Chamber of Commerce 11th Congress, however, that "recessions which correct such distortions are not to be feared." He added: "Europe does not need to fear that an American post-war corrective recession will degenerate into a depression."

He declared the United States is "well aware of its strategic role in the world economy, and of its needs for imports, for an economy free from exaggerated boom and deep depression, and for sharing in world economic rehabilitation."

Aldrich said that "corrective recessions are necessary to reduce costs and prices to a level which permits an economy to function to the best advantage."

"Moreover, they serve to increase labour activity and managerial efficiency and lay the basis for further improvements in living standards."

He warned that "to adopt static planning and controls in an effort to escape recession is to substitute degeneration for progress." He said the world should now reduce trade barriers, restore "multilateralism in trade," and "eliminate repressive domestic economic controls which are a heritage of the war."

Averting War

"Only freedom in world trade," he declared, "will bring about the most rational use of economic resources of all nations and the highest standards of living for all peoples."

Had nations shunned "economic nationalism" in favour of "economic liberalism" he said, the depression of the thirties could doubtless have been restricted to a corrective recession."

He added: "The war might have been avoided."

The ICC gives its full support to free market economics because it is convinced that a free enterprise system alone permits full individual freedom and maximum economic progress.—Associated Press.

P.P.C. Adopts Proposals For Ending Civil War In China

Nazis To Be Deported

Cape Town, June 2.
Field-Marshal Smuts, Prime Minister of South Africa, told the Union House of Assembly today that the Government had decided to carry out the recommendation of the Deportation Commission and deport 250 Germans.

We appointed a Deportation Commission on March 1, 1942," General Smuts stated, "to recommend for deportation with his dependents any enemy alien who was regarded as active in a Nazi organisation or whose actions promoted foreign interests against the Union and whose presence was incompatible with the safety of South Africa against the recurrence of Nazism.

The Commission has given its opinion and it should be considered final save against exceptional circumstances," he added.—Reuter.

Nanking, June 2.
The People's Political Council by acclamation today adopted a proposal for peace with the Chinese Communists, which provides that both the Government and Communist Party give up the conditions already announced by them as necessary for rapprochement.

The resolution contained the synthesis of 19 peace proposals, previously submitted to the P.P.C., debated in the general committee.

The three points contained in the proposal accepted by cheering members of the Council are as follows:

Firstly, the Government is urged to reiterate its sincere intention to solve the Chinese Communist problem by political means.

Secondly, both the Communist Party and Government are urged to relinquish their previous conditions for the reopening of peace negotiations.

The Communists are asked to send delegates to Nanking immediately for a resumption of peace talks, to be carried out in accordance with the resolutions of the Political Consultative Conference last year, which provide for the nationalisation of arms and democratisation of the political structure.

Thirdly, the People's Political Council, after its session closes, should establish an organisation with the main object of promoting

citizens, including Europeans, have laid in stocks of foodstuffs against possible disorders, some in item budgeting for as far as one day ahead.

In spite of the extreme nervousness among the bulk of the Indian population, there is confidence tonight in official quarters that they were now adequately equipped to meet any emergency and enforce authority.—Reuter.

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CRISIS DAY A DAMP SQUIB

Shanghai, June 2.
Peace and quiet reigned in both Nanking and Shanghai today when the threatened June 2 nationwide student anti-civil war demonstration failed to materialise in face of the clearly expressed determination of the authorities to halt by all possible means, any anti-Government parades.

In Shanghai, where heavily-armed and steel-helmeted gendarmes patrolled the streets in trucks and guarded strategic intersections, the striking students this morning called off their demonstration and instead held a mass meeting in the gymnasium of the National Chiaotung University, where representatives of universities in Shanghai, Peiping, Tientsin and other parts of China, made speeches urging the end of the civil war.

He added: "The Government has made an issue of June 2, the date of the anti-civil war movement launched by the Communists last year. Though the students have cancelled their activities for today, no assurance can be given that no demonstrations will be held at a later date."

Hankow Clash

The P.P.C. voted this afternoon to put the question to Premier Chang Chun, asking him now that student demonstrations throughout China had been averted whether the Government intends to stop the arrests of students and newspapermen and lifting the ban on the suspended Shanghai publications.

The local press reports tonight that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has telephoned the Wuhan (Hankow) Garrison headquarters for information on the clash there yesterday between police and students.

The Vice-Minister of Education, Mr. Han Li-wu, flew from Nanking by special plane to Hankow today to carry out an "on-the-spot" investigation.

Although no details were available, the clash is said to have resulted in several deaths and injuries on both sides.

Chungking Arrests

Latest Chinese reports on round-ups in Chungking yesterday said that altogether 46 newspapermen and almost 100 students, including ten from the Normal School, three professors and two members of the democratic League, were arrested.

Five students are said to have been wounded when attempting to resist arrest. The Commander of the Chungking garrison headquarters told a press conference today that, if after investigations the arrested people were found not guilty of the charges preferred against them, they will be released without bail. Otherwise, they will be sent to the Communist areas.

Other reports said that ten persons were also arrested in Chengtu, capital of Szechuan Committee.

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Savage Attack In Kowloon

A murder, and an attempt at murder, occurred at 15 Shek Kip Mei Street, second floor, Shamshui Po at 4 a.m. yesterday.

According to information available, Lo was sleeping out in the verandah when he was chopped several times about the head and face. So savage was the attack that the victim's head was nearly severed.

The attacker next turned his attention to Li Kam-tai, striking her one blow on the head with the chopper. When the woman screamed for help, the assailant rained blow after blow on her head, face, and arm.

On the arrival of Det. Sub-Inspectors Dowman and Roberts, of the Shamshui Po Police Station, the woman was removed to the Kowloon Hospital where her condition, up to a late hour last night, was reported to be extremely critical.

The Police are now looking for Yuen Chi, a native of Tung Koon, who was formerly connected with Lo Yuk, 70, in a fertilizer business and who disappeared after the attack on Lo Yuk and his 43-year-old companion, Li Kam-tai.

Marine Court Case

With four previous convictions against him and nothing to say for the fifth repetition, Li Chun, master of a trading junk was yesterday fined \$600 or three months' hard labour by Marine Magistrate Neil Garland, for having on board 14 excess passengers.

Prosecuting Officer Hill asked the Court to take a serious view of the offence as apart from a breach of the regulations this sort of thing was an evasion of income tax when receipts from excess passengers carried are omitted from the books.

FOOD AND FUEL COSTS

The Labour Officer announces that the food and fuel costs for the week ending May 31, 1947, were:

Rice and Flour	7.2 catties	\$3.9400
Vegetables	1.9	.5800
Salt Cabbage	.2	.2580
Oil	.7	1.5880
Tea	.2	.9600
Salt Fish	.3	.6210
Fish	.4	.7800
Pork	.5	.7530
Porkwood	10.0	7.0000
Bean Curd	14 pieces	.5600
Total		\$10.7530

Readers' Letters

Social Evil

Sir.—Your correspondent "Daniel-Lai" on the subject of brothels seems to be misinformed about the subject. The vice of prostitution goes back as far as history, and can certainly not be counted as a modern vice.

His suggestion for alleviating the nuisance is, however, impracticable in a city administered by British law, which does not allow places of vice, be they brothels, gambling houses, or opium dens. Hence the daily reports in your paper of police raids on these illegal institutions.

The remarkable thing, however, is not the fact that police raids are carried on regularly with seemingly no effect, but that when these cases are brought to court, the owners as well as the clients of opium dives and gambling houses are prosecuted but in the case of a brothel raid only the owner is prosecuted, yet the client is breaking the law equally. If there were no clients there would be no brothels, and the frequenter of a brothel is as much a law-breaker as an opium addict.

I have been horrified to find that such discrimination is practised in British court of Justice. Surely the prosecution and publication of the frequenters' names would be the best way to alleviate the nuisance. It is only by practising the theory of an equal moral standard for both sexes and all delinquents, that vice can be reduced, if not obliterated.

Sir.—I fully agree with David Lai that the best solution to the prostitution evil would be to mark out special red light districts as was the practice some 20 odd years ago.

David Lai also raises a very pertinent question when he asks why no action is taken against cabaret girls and girl guiders (escort girls).

The authorities, in their campaign to eradicate prostitution or street walkers have apparently overlooked the fact that the present situation has been brought about chiefly by the lack of employment. I have spoken to many of the girls and they are hit out of work.

EXECUTION OF BRITON "Shot and Stabbed To Death"

Japanese Witness' Grim Story

Evidence that Sub-Lieutenant Fred Hockley R.N.V.R. was killed as he stood with his hands tied and his eyes blindfolded in front of a newly made grave and that he was shot in the chest by Capt. Fujino Masayo standing in front of him, was given at the continued hearing yesterday of the War Crimes court in which Col. Tamura, Teiichi, Major Hirano Nobu and Capt. Fujino Masayo are charged with committing a war crime in the killing of Sub-Lieut. Hockley.

It was also stated that after the first shot Hockley fell to the ground. Two further shots were fired at him. He rolled over into the grave and was then stabbed twice by the same officer with a sword from a sergeant near by it was alleged.

Hitomi Tadao said that on August 15, 1945 after Hockley had been captured he had a telephonic conversation with Capt. Fujino, who told him to take the prisoner to Regimental Headquarters.

On the way to Headquarters he spoke to the prisoner and learned that his name was Hockley. Witness said that he could understand some simple English. He reached Headquarters at 6 p.m. There were three others with him, a N.C.O. and two other ranks.

At Headquarters he went to the Officers room and saw Col. Tamura and told him that he had brought a prisoner. Tamura said: "You people should not do anything without permission or on your own account."

Hole Dig

Witness then went for his evening meal, after which he was told to get 10 soldiers equipped with shovels. He did not know then what the order for. The men were taken to the mountain and witness followed.

Capt. Sasaki ordered the soldiers to dig a hole and later led witness to inform him when the work was done. In the absence of Sasaki, witness said that he was in charge. It was then about 7.30 p.m. After the work was nearly completed, he made a report.

Capt. Fujino later took the prisoner to the spot. This was about 8 p.m. About 30 officers, N.C.O.s and men followed. He arrived later.

He saw prisoner, who had his hands tied and who was blindfolded, stand with his back to the hole. Capt. Fujino was standing on his right. Witness was standing some distance away.

Three Shots

He heard a pistol shot and then another two shots in succession.

At the request of the Prosecution, witness gave a demonstration of the killing of Hockley. Hockley, he said, was standing with his back to the hole. Fujino shot him in the chest and Hockley collapsed on his back near the mouth of the hole.

Two more shots were fired, Hockley turned on his face and fell partly into the hole. Fujino was suffering but not dead. Fujino then took a sword from a Sergeant Kusuno and stabbed Hockley twice in the back. The hole was filled in by the soldiers, who followed them.

That China modernises her law administration have the right to protest against the mixing up of law with politics.

WANG KIU-TAN.

Sessions Case

The trial of Lai Fai and Wong Yuk-tin, who are charged with armed robbery and wounding with intent, opened before Mr. Justice T. J. Gould at the Supreme Court yesterday.

Wong was additionally charged with unlawful possession of a handgun, the property of the complainant.

Mr. A. J. Clifford, assisted by Inspector A. Sykes, prosecuted on behalf of the Crown.

Mr. A. S. C. Coomber of Messrs. Hastings & Co. appeared for the second defendant, while first defendant was not legally represented.

Outlining the case for the Crown, Mr. Clifford said that the complainant, Leung Fun engaged a rickshaw to take her to her home at 179 San Yee Street.

After she alighted from the rickshaw, and was about to pay the fare, a man came from behind a pillar. He held a revolver in one hand. At the same time, Leung Fun saw two other men outside the doorway to her house.

Thinking that they were her neighbours, she shouted out to them. The man opened fire and she was shot in the left thigh. She released her hold on her handgun and fell to the ground.

The two men who were standing outside her doorway ran away in the direction of the Mongkok Police Station as soon as the firing started and they were followed by the man who fired the shot.

As it was dark at the time and there was no moonlight, Leung Fun was unable to identify any of the men, who were later arrested on information.

Corroborative evidence was given by Leung Fun and after lengthy legal argument as to the admissibility of certain statements, hearing was adjourned till this morning.

Prepared Grave

Capt. Sasaki said that he had been in the army for 16 years. On August 16, 1945 he was attached to H.Q. 426 regiment. It first heard of a prisoner's capture at 8.30 by telephone. He reported to Col. Tamura, who said that it would be necessary for an officer to be sent to receive the prisoner.

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Saw Shooting

Five minutes later, Sgt. Hitomi told him the men were ready and witness went with them and decided on the place. As he had remembered he had to do something in the office, he left. Hitomi in charge and instructed him to report when work was done.

At 7.30 p.m. he saw Fujino take a revolver hanging near witness's bed. A lanyard was attached to the revolver and he saw Fujino put the lanyard over his right shoulder. Fujino left and he (witness) thought Fujino was going to carry out an execution. He followed Fujino outside and saw him and another man take the prisoner between them.

He followed them. It was getting dark. He reached the spot and saw that prisoner was made to squat down. He saw Fujino shoot the prisoner.

In answer to questions, witness said Fujino was standing close to prisoner. Fujino fired the shots. Witness saw him doing so. The shots were fired at prisoner's head and chest. When the prisoner was in the hole he was not yet dead. Witness saw him move a little. He remembered seeing Fujino take the sword of Sgt. Kusuno and thrust it in prisoner's back. The grave was filled in.

Hearing will be continued this morning at 10 a.m.

Incident On Ferry Wharf

An Able Seaman of H.M.S. "Adamant" who, according to his officer, had been serving on the same ship since last October, and who bore an exemplary character, appeared before Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday on a disorderly conduct charge.

According to Inspector J. Orem, prosecuting, A.D. J. Allen was soon to enter the First Class laboratory of the Star Ferry wharf at 10.10 p.m. on May 31 and knocked out with his hands live slabs of glass, valued at \$85.

Pleading guilty, defendant said that he had a couple of drinks. He was fined \$30 and ordered to pay \$20 damage to the Star Ferry Co.

Coming Events

June 6—A.S. Watson & Co. Ltd., annual meeting, HK Hotel, 11.30 a.m.

June 7—Seventh Extra Race Meeting.

June 9—H.K. & Whampoa Docks extraordinary meeting, noon.

June 27—Indo-China S.N. Co. Ltd., annual general meeting noon.

TOO MANY CASES OF FALSE PRETENCES

Remarking that there were too many persons in the Colony trying to obtain money by falsely pretending to be officials, Mr. Sainsbury at Central yesterday sentenced Chau Ming, 26, unemployed, to 27 months' hard labour on three charges of attempting to obtain, and four of obtaining, money by pretending to be on the staff of the Public Works Department.

Somebody Could Pay His Fine

"Somebody can pay your fine," declared Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday when Tsang Kam, charged with possession of 6.5 taels of raw opium at the K.C.R. Station on May 31, pleaded that he was asked by somebody to carry the drugs.

R/O Paulle, who prosecuted, said that the narcotics were found in the false bottom of a basket which accused was carrying. A fine of \$780, or five months' hard labour, was imposed.

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Remanded from May 30, Wong Mul, 50, married woman, was fined \$625, or four months' hard labour, when she pleaded guilty to the possession of 5.3 taels of raw opium at the K.C.R. Station on May 31.

Admitting possession of four taels of opium at the K.C.R. Station on June 1, Yip Mai-yan, 45, widow, was fined \$480, (or three months' hard labour) when she appeared before Mr. Latimer yesterday. R/O Paulle prosecuted.

Defendant was sentenced to nine months' each on three charges and cautioned on the remaining four. All the sentences, totalling 29 months, are to run consecutively.

Outlining the case for the prosecution, Inspector Moran said that he must not forget the graveness of the offence committed by accused, though he would also take into consideration the mitigation plan entered by the defending counsel.

Defendant was sentenced to four months' each on three charges and cautioned on the remaining four. All the sentences, totalling 29 months, are to run consecutively.

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History Repeating Itself

Athens, June 2.

The Greek authorities are understood today to have in their hands reports that the first elements of an international brigade formed in France and Italy to aid the Leftist campaigns in Greece have arrived at the Yugoslav Adriatic port of Split.

The Communist Party newspaper more than a month ago printed a story from Paris that such brigade had been formed and has repented it several times since. The latest report—the source of which cannot be given—said the Greek General Staff and Government Ministers have received information that the brigade was formed on the lines of that which took part in the Spanish civil war.

It is understood the brigado was trained at Rosia, between St. Favas and La Mone in France. Reports said the headquarters of the brigade were at No. 8 Avenue Sermat in Darbone and 14, Rue Argentiere, Perpignan.

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Indonesia Cabinet Reshuffle

Macassar, June 2.

The reported "reconstruction" of the East Indonesian Cabinet was announced today, according to Anca, Dutch news agency.

The only changes were in a reshuffling of portfolios while three Ministers of State have been appointed representing the Chinese, Arab and Eurasian populations. A new appointment is Dr. Semawi for the Traffic and Waterways portfolio, replacing E. D. Dengah. Nadjamoedin Daeng Malewa remains Premier and Minister of Economic Affairs.

East Indonesian circles in Batavia commented that political difficulties can hardly be expected to be solved by these minor changes and expected the matter would be taken up again in the Parliamentary session in October next.—United Press.

ART EXHIBIT

To celebrate the first anniversary of their re-opening, the To Shuk Middle School is holding an exhibition of paintings by famous artists, drawings by the pupils, and calligraphy at the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, Connaught Road Central.

During the last two days, the exhibition has been well attended by art lovers and should continue to draw large audiences today and tomorrow, when it closes.

WOMAN STABBED

A Chinese woman, Mak Yunn, 38, cloth weaver, living in an unnumbered hut in the vicinity of the Hau Wong Temple, was stabbed in the abdomen by a Chinese male at about 10.15 last night. No arrests had been made up to the time of going to press.

SUGAR RATION

It is officially announced that the sugar ration for June is 2 lbs per person.



PARIS BAKERS ON STRIKE

Bread Ration Reduced 50 Per Cent

Labour Unrest In France

Paris, June 1. Faced with a 48-hour bakers' strike, beginning at midnight, the prefecture of the Seine, in a drastic measure to assure sufficient bread supplies, announced tonight a 50 per cent reduction in the capital's bread ration for Monday and Tuesday, bringing the already reduced ration down to 150 grams.

Zionist Home Plan Continues

Jerusalem, June 1. Another demonstration was given today that Zionists intend to continue developing Jewish National Home, notwithstanding the United Nations inquiry and any doubts about the future of Palestine.

Mr. Eleazar Kaplan, Treasurer of the Executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, announced through the Agency's spokesman, that 14 more Jewish settlements would be established before the United Nations General Assembly took up the report of its special committee on Palestine in September.

Plans for re-equipment and expansion of Jewish industry were also announced by Mr. Kaplan, who stated that the Jewish Agency had reached an agreement with the British Administration to enable Palestine industrialists to use £500,000 of Zionist funds from America for the purchase of machinery. Reuter.

Claims

Lake Success, June 1. The Jewish Agency, leading organisation of the Palestine Jews, does not intend to make any move in New York at present regarding the United Nations Palestine Committee which begins its meeting here tomorrow.

The American Jewish Committee has, however, submitted a written statement to the Palestine Committee asking for immediate immigration into Palestine of 100,000 displaced persons and placing Palestine under United Nations trusteeship.

The American Jewish Committee and the League for Peace and Justice in Palestine are also understood to be submitting claims.

Public hearings of Jewish and other bodies are unlikely to be held.—Reuter.

Mystery Death Of British Girl

Cologne, June 2. British special investigators attempted yesterday to trace events leading up to the mysterious death of Miss Primrose Lord, 25-year-old British canteen girl, in the Rhine river on Friday.

Miss Lord, a canteen van driver for the Salvation Army, was stationed in Dueren, 20 miles south east of Cologne.

A German fisherman found her body floating on the surface of the Rhine at Warringen, 10 miles north of Cologne.

Events from the time she last was seen at Dueren until her body was found approximately 30 miles away less than 12 hours later are rather a blank, one official said.

Quiet Girl Friends said that Miss Lord, whom they described as a quiet girl, seemed in a normally cheerful frame of mind on Friday morning in Dueren.

How she reached Cologne or Dueren is not yet known.

German police who recovered her body, still clad in uniform, said it had apparently been in

Moscow, June 1. One of the largest meteors to collide with the Earth in modern times, the massive one which crashed some 250 miles north of Vladivostok on the night of Feb. 12, was of a comparatively rare variety known as "hexadrite," Soviet scientists studying splinters from the meteor have determined.

Other scientists are working in the area where the meteor fell, with one crew excavating to reach what approximately was the mean body of the meteor. It is buried more than 35 feet into the soft ground of the sparsely-inhabited area. The crater it formed is 210 feet in diameter.

Thirty-two other splinter craters have been mapped; most of them 45 to 75 feet in diameter. It contained iron, nickel, cobalt and a small amount of phosphorous and sulphur.—United Press.

Nicaragua Revolution San Jose, June 1. The large Nicaraguan colony in Costa Rica has sent a cable to President Truman asking him not to recognise Benjamin Sosa, named as the provisional President of Nicaragua after last week's bloodless revolution. Sosa was installed as President after a military revolt,

which drove Dr. Leonardo Arguello, the former President, out of his palace into refuge at the Mexican Embassy, last week.

He belongs to a group of big landowners and ranchers headed by General Anastasio Somoza.—Reuter.

"JANE"



Britain Gripped By Heat-Wave!

London, June 2. Perhaps it was the heat—the mercury approached 90 degrees for the fourth consecutive day—but whatever the cause these incidents among others, were reported in the British press yesterday.

Elsie Denham, 22, and Denie Denham, 26, were introduced, decided in less than an hour to get married and promptly did.

Betty Florence, 24, another bride, saved clothing ration coupons by crocheting her wedding gown.

The United Free Church of Scotland figured out that each British family spends an average of £3 a week on drink, tobacco and betting.

200 Nest

Selfridges, London's first American-style department store, announced it would close its bargain basement because with present day shortages there aren't enough bargains.

Postal inspectors found that a bird had torn open a letter, extracted a £20 cheque and used it to build a nest inside a mailbox.

The Mayor of Slough got into a row with fellow members of the Town Council for referring to inmates of a nearby German prisoner of war camp as "our friends" and handing some of them sandwiches.

Jazz To Religion

George Bernard Shaw, invited to send a message to the World Youth Congress in Prague, replied, "Read my books and leave me to die in peace."

Dance band leader Henry Campbell, one of Britain's leading trumpet players, forsook it all and entered a Trappist monastery.

Bristol scientists solved a 177-year-old mystery—was the poet Thomas Chatterton an opium addict—by analysing stains in his pocket book and finding "definite traces of opium."

A titled woman who wouldn't give her name gave some stamps to a dealer thinking they

had been forged.

The pleading tone of the Minister's broadcast appeal showed both the urgency of the need and the fact that the Government has not the slightest intention to draft labour into industry.

After telling his listeners how badly the country needs women workers, Mr. Isaacs said: "I am sorry that I have to make this appeal. You did amazingly well by your country during the war and it seems a pity that there is again this urgent call for your help. We have to export more now to get in return the raw material and food that we need. This is a temporary business. We will catch up in time, so all I am asking at the start is that all who can, take a job for whatever length of time you can spare."

Mr. Isaacs made it clear that he was not asking women with babies, or those whose household work kept them fully occupied. "All I ask is please think about it carefully and do the best you can."—Reuter.

RUSSO-AMERICAN WAR "IMPROBABLE"

Bombay, June 1. Mohandas K. Gandhi, Indian spiritual leader, told the United Press today that war between the United States and Russia, in his opinion, was "possible but highly improbable."

In a telegraphed reply from New Delhi to six questions submitted by the United Press the Mahatma commented for the first time in months on some of the major problems confronting the world.

Despite his 78 years, Gandhi's influence in his nation's spiritual and political life is as great as ever during his long crusade for Indian independence and equality for all mankind.

He found time to answer the following questions, although he was preoccupied with India's critical internal problems:

War Improbable

Q. Do you think there is any possibility of armed conflict between Russia and the United States?

A. Anything is possible, but it is highly improbable.

Q. Do you foresee the possibility of the world being united under one central governing body composed of representatives of component parts?

A. That is the only condition on which the world can live.

Q. Do you feel that India will ultimately be united under a central government, regardless of what the immediate settlement may be?

A. The future will depend on what we do in the present.

Jews Criticised

Q. What do you feel is the most acceptable solution to the Palestine problem?

A. Abandonment wholly by

Vienna, June 1.

The five year old son of Ferenc Nagy, Hungarian ex-Premier, was reported by Vienna newspapers to be on his way tonight by car to Berne, Switzerland, to join his father, who resigned by telephone on Friday, after the Russians had accused him of treason.

The child, who had with him the family's £20,000 fortune and jewels, was travelling in the car presented to Nagy by the Russians last year, the newspaper "Neuer Oesterreich" said, quoting a Budapest dispatch.

The family fortune was claimed by Nagy as the condition of his resignation.

The newspaper quoted the Socialist Vice-Premier, Dr. Arpad Szakasits, as saying that the new government of General Janos Dianyus, sworn in yesterday, must be considered a "caretaker government" and that the country must go to the polls in the autumn at the latest.

The Arbeiter Zeitung, Australian Socialist paper, said that Hungary's forthcoming elections "will no longer be free." The Communist press here hailed the government changes as ending a situation "dangerous for the new democracy."—Reuter.

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS

SEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING

SATURDAY, 7th June, 1947.

The First Bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m. and the first race will be run at 3.00 p.m.

Through numbers (8 races) \$10 may be obtained at the Office of the Treasurers, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, also tickets for the Special Cash Sweep (\$2.00) on the Lantau Handicap. The latter may also be purchased at the Branch Office, Nathan Road, Kowloon.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10 including tax are obtainable through the Secretary on the written or personal introduction of a member, such member to be responsible for all costs, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the RACE COURSE.

The Treasury's Comptroller Office will close at 11 a.m. and the Secretary's Office at 1145 a.m. Both Offices at 1st floor, Exchange Building.

A limited number of tiffins will be obtainable at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 27818).

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3 including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

The Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Refreshments will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

SERVANTS' PASSES.

Passes for Servants will be issued to Private Box holders ONLY on application to the Secretary, 1st Floor, Exchange Building.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' passes in their possession will forfeit the same and will be removed from the enclosure.

BY ORDER

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.



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onial Secretariat, Lower Al-
bert Road, Hong Kong.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Hong Kong, 31st May, 1947.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Forty-seventh Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Windsor House, Mezzanine Floor, on Thursday 26th June, 1947, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1946, to sanction the declaration of a Dividend and Bonus and to re-elect Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 12th to 26th June, 1947, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. D. THOMSON
Manager.

Hong Kong, 2nd June, 1947.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at 18 Peppermint Street (1st floor) Hong Kong on MONDAY the NINTH day of JUNE, 1947, at NOON, for the purpose of proposing and if thought fit passing the subjoined resolutions as a special resolution, viz:-

That the Articles of Association be altered in the manner following:-

(a) Article 17 shall be cancelled.

(b) In the third line of Article 71 the word "two" shall be substituted for the word "three".

(c) The following Article shall be substituted for Article 76 - "76. Subject to any special terms as to voting upon which any shares of the Company may have been issued or may for the time being be held, upon a show of hands every member present in person shall have one vote, and upon a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every share held by him."

By Order of the Board,

R. G. CRAIG,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong,
Dated this Ninth day of May,
1947.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 14 & 16, Peppermint Street, Hong Kong, on Monday, 16th June 1947, at noon for the following purposes:-

- To receive and consider the Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet and the Report of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
- To elect Directors.
- To appoint Auditors and fix their remuneration.
- To transact any other ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be closed from the 2nd June 1947 to the 16th June 1947, both days inclusive.

By order
of the Board of Directors.

R. G. CRAIG,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 8th May, 1947.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE

At a Directors' Meeting of the abovenamed Company held on the 22nd day of May, 1947, it was resolved that 97,747 unissued shares part of the newly created 304,506 shares of the nominal value of \$10.00 each in the Company's Capital shall be offered at par to the existing Shareholders in the proportion of one share per complete number of two shares held by them respectively and that such offer should be made in writing in the form approved by the Directors and should be made to the Shareholders appearing in the Company's Register on the first day of July, 1947, and that the COMPANY'S SHARE REGISTER WILL BE CLOSED FROM THE 1ST JULY TO THE 15TH JULY, 1947, BOTH DATES INCLUSIVE.

The Company now will accept transfer of Shares for registration provided the approval of the Registrar of Companies has first been obtained in each case.

A circular letter containing the terms of the offer, together with Form of Acceptance or Renunciation in favour of a Nominee will, in due course be sent out to the Shareholders.

By Order
of the Board of Directors,

B. TAYLOR,

Manager & Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd June, 1947.

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Germany's Curtains, Iron--And Silk

Frankfurt, June 1. Kurt Schumacher, one-armed Social Democrat leader, told 8,000 sweltering Socialists today that Germany, although really the balance point of the world, was being treated by the victorious powers as a puppet.

Alternately shouting and purring as he addressed an audience packed into the rubble of the ancient Frankfurt Römerberg, Schumacher demanded an increase in German industrial production and the opening of exports so that Germany might import food.

"We Germans cannot be bought with Russian cigarettes nor with American CARE packages," he shouted.

"We Socialists are accused of organizing self-pity, but all we want is some common sense. The Allied powers claim they want to adopt a realistic attitude toward Germany. If they can't see realistic

"PRAVDA'S" COMMENT

Moscow, June 1.

Praevara, the Soviet Communist Party newspaper, declared today that the British Labour Party Conference had disclosed a "good deal of differences between the working masses of Britain and the leaders of the Labour Party."

The Conference, it was declared did not solve vitally important problems of British foreign and domestic policy, and the speeches there were a serious warning to Britain's ruling circles.—Reuter.

Heat-Wave Record

London, June 1.

Climaxing nearly a week of sweltering weather, cloudless skies and brilliant sun, yesterday drove the mercury up to 90 degrees Fahrenheit in the shade in London — the highest London recording since 1944.

Today's top reading was 87. Weather Bureau officials said there was no prospect of immediate relief for Eastern and Southern England.

The extreme heat came on the heels of Britain's worst winter in nearly 70 years. There were 34 days of sub-zero or near-zero weather last winter. The year's low for all England was also degrees below zero Fahrenheit in January.

On the whole, considering both snow and cold, weather bureau officials termed it the worst winter since 1880.—United Press.

Rangoon, June 1.

The Burma Government has granted all Indian and Chinese, who were evacuated from Burma in 1942, permission to re-enter the country.—Reuter.

Secret Radio No. 10

Washington, June 1.

The British Information Service has revealed the secret behind secret radio No. 10.

That was the code name given to the secret radio, a specially devised portable machine by which Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery and Prime Minister Winston Churchill maintained contact in World War II.

Montgomery used the radio from his battlefield headquarters to keep Churchill informed of latest developments.

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT

MEDICAL DEPT.

NOTICE

Tender for Laundry Service

It is hereby notified that tenders for Laundry Services for all hospitals and institutions under this department in Hong Kong are invited.

Full particulars and procedure for tendering were published in the Government Gazette of the 30th May, 1947. Notification No. S.309 or can be obtained from the Secretary, Medical Department, Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank Building, 1st floor.

(ed.) I. NEWTON,
Ag. Director of Medical
Services.
Hong Kong, 2nd June, 1947.

Compulsory Service Basis Of Soviet Armed Power

Frankfurt, June 1. Russia's military power is based on compulsory service in the Red Army and mandatory military training in the schools, the President's Advisory Commission on military training reported.

A study of the Soviet system, under which military service, the duty of all able bodied men from 19 to 50, was made with an appendix to the Commission's proposal for universal military training in the United States.

The systems of Britain, Sweden, Switzerland and the Union of South Africa were also analyzed.

Following the line set by the American and British occupation authorities, Schumacher said the economic unity of Germany must come first. "Only then can we begin to think about political matters," he said.

The report added: "16,000,000 Soviet men and women this year are members of a special organization called 'Oscavikim Association' for defense against air attack and chemical warfare."

"Officially called 'Voluntary Association,' this organization is in fact a governmental agency for all kinds of military training of the civilian population," said the report, to insure an officer supply.

Start At 10!

The Suvorov military schools start training children at ten to become professional officers. The schools have a capacity of 4,500. The course is seven years, preparatory to the numerous military academies whose graduates become officers for the mass of Soviet youths.

Military service begins after the 19th birthday, or for graduates of secondary schools, the 18th birthday.

Those fit for service are assigned either to active service for a period of from two to five years, or transferred at once to the "second line reserve." The latter reserve takes in the physically handicapped, those who support two disabled or aged parents, and

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"There are no zones for us. There is only one German polity, with peaceful international tendencies."—Reuter.

Frankfurt, June 1. A plebiscite under international control to decide whether the inhabitants wanted to belong to the western or eastern zones of Germany was suggested by the chairman of the German Social Democratic Party, Kurt Schumacher, in a speech here today.

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London, June 1. Radio Moscow, in its first comment on the Hungarian crisis, said today that the former premier, Ferenc Nagy, was charged with complicity in an anti-Republican conspiracy.

Radio Moscow added, "Investigations started at that time showed that the plot was a ramified one and its threads led

to Rightwing leadership of the Smallholders Party."

The broadcast said the conspiracy was designed to overthrow the coalition and restore a "reactionary Fascist regime" by force after signing of the Hungarian peace treaty and withdrawal of Soviet occupation troops.

It was said that Bela Kovacs, secretary-general of the Smallholders Party, was arrested as implicated in the plot, and added: "As investigations in the Kovacs case proceeded, more and more evidence came to light and this evidence also compromised those who, while simulating loyalty, were out to undermine the Republican order in Hungary."

The Prime Minister, Ferenc Nagy, was charged with complicity in an anti-Republican conspiracy—and the Hungarian working class parties agreed that he must return from his foreign trip and resign his post.

"Forces hostile to the people did succeed in weakening and splitting forces of democracy by plots and terrorism. They did not succeed in retarding the democratization of Hungary's economic and social political system."

"The Hungarian people want to be masters in their own land and the henchmen of Admiral Horthy, no matter how they are disguised, will not succeed in bringing back the old reactionary Hungary."—United Press.

Calcutta, June 1. One was killed and five injured in five incidents here today, of which three were bomb attacks, according to a Bengal Government communiqué, which added: "Calcutta remained comparatively quiet."—Reuter.

Sydney, June 2. Lord Knollys,airline Chairman of the British Overseas Airways Corporation, and Whitmore Straight, left Sydney last night for London on the last stage of a 42,000 miles world flight over BOAC routes. They travelled in a special Lancastrian—Associated Press.

RIOTS IN AMRITSAR.

Amritsar, June 2. This second largest city of the Punjab, and holy city of the Sikhs, was under a pall of smoke yesterday from smouldering houses and shops set afire by rioters in several districts.

Mobs clashed again with the police and were fired on several times before order was restored. One was killed and 10 injured in street battles between religious communities. Casualties from police firing totalled at least 20, including three dead.—Associated Press.

Ceylon Governor Dismissal Demanded

Colombo, June 1. Immediate recall of the Ceylon Governor and dismissal of the Chief Secretary were demanded today by the United Lanka Congress in a cable to the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Arthur Creech-Jones.

The strike situation is unchanged today. The handling of ships in Colombo harbour is continuing without interruption as no labourers struck, although landing waiters and customs men walked out yesterday.

The naval authorities here have denied press reports that Royal Marines of H.M.S. Glasgow, at present in the harbour, were standing by to help the civil authorities in handling the situation caused by the strike.

Mr. Richard Aluvihare, Ceylon's first civilian Inspector General of Police, who is currently holding a series of liaison conferences with local military commanders and out-station police superintendents, told Reuter that he was absolutely confident in the ability of the police to deal with any emergency that might arise.—Reuter.

Four More 'Nuernberg' Wives Arrested

Hamburg, June 1. Four more "Nuernberg wives"—those of Rudolf Hess, formerly deputy Fuehrer to Hitler; Fritz Sauckel, Nazi Director-General of Labour; Baldur von Schirach, Nazi youth leader; and Alfred Jodl, former German Army Chief of Staff—were arrested.

They will be interned in Augsburg women's camp.

The arrests were carried out by the Bavarian Denazification Ministry, which denied press reports that Erika, second wife of the late Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg, was also arrested.

The wives will be interned along with Emmy Goering, widow of Hermann Goering, and Frau Brigitte Frank, widow of Hans Frank, executed Nazi Governor of Poland, both of whom are already under arrest.

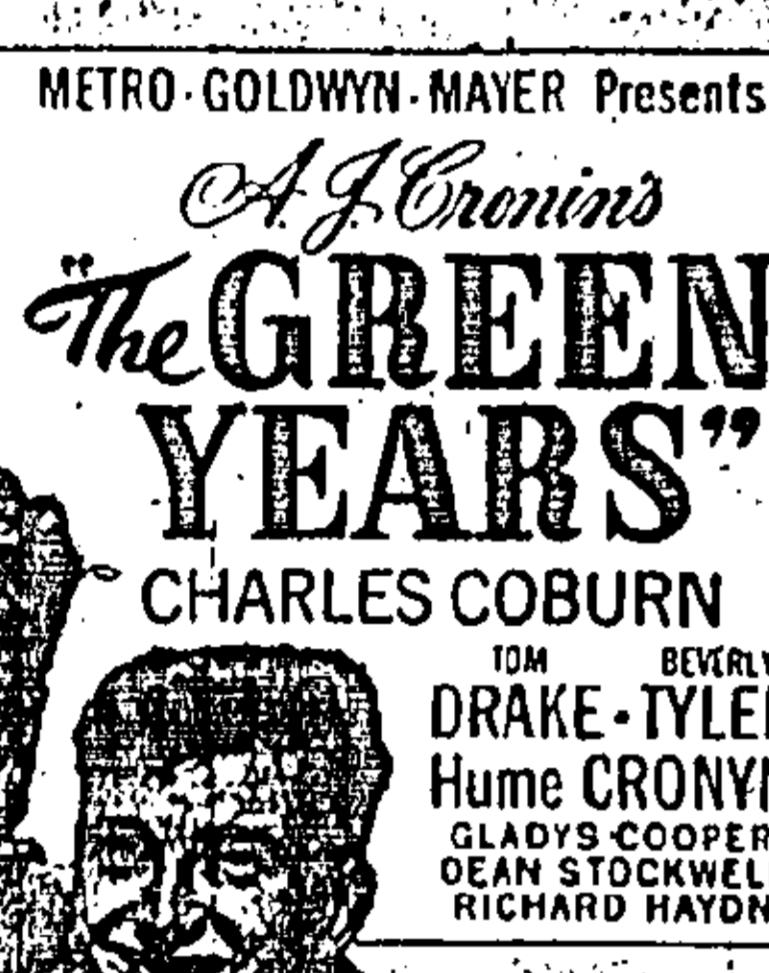
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H.K. SALVAGE PROBLEMS
Harbour Clear In 18 Months

The activities of the China-based American Air Force after 1942 and the memorable occasions in January 1945 when Admiral Halsey's fleet approached within a few hundred miles of the Colony have left as a legacy one particular problem with which it has been necessary to deal most urgently in order not to imperil the reputation of Victoria Harbour as a safe anchorage and thereby burden ship owners with excessive insurance charges.

On the re-occupation of the Colony, a trip down the Harbour for a large vessel resembled an obstacle race owing to the necessity for avoiding the large number of vessels which had been sunk there during the war.

These comprised 18 ocean-going vessels ranging from 1,000 to 15,000 tons and a large number of launches, tugs, ferries, landing barges, etc. The majority of the large vessels were lying awash and were easily identifiable but the craft in the second category were scattered all over the harbour and identification presented a difficult problem.

Great credit is due to the Royal Navy for their splendid salvage work from the re-occupation to October 1946. Owing to shortage of staff and equipment, Government was quite unable to deal with the matter during this period and relied exclusively on the Navy for assistance. The Navy and sub-contractors employed by the Navy raised ten major and sixty minor wrecks. The most notable task undertaken by them was the raising of the "Yamato Maru" from alongside Tafkoo Docks.

In November 1946, responsibility for salvage work was accepted by the Civil Government with the approval of His Majesty's Treasury which authorised the expenditure of one million dollars.

Salvage Expert

The transfer of responsibility did not however entail a break in continuity as Government was able to secure on transfer the services of Captain W. A. Doust, C.B.E., who had been in charge of Naval salvage operations since the outbreak of the war, firstly as Deputy Director of Salvage, Admiralty, and subsequently attached to the successive invasion forces as Principal Salvage Officer.

He has spent all his life in salvage work, having been a member of the London Salvage Association and, subsequently, during the war, having been attached to the Admiralty in view of his specialised knowledge. It may thus be said that salvage in Hong Kong and the activities of Captain Doust are virtually synonymous.

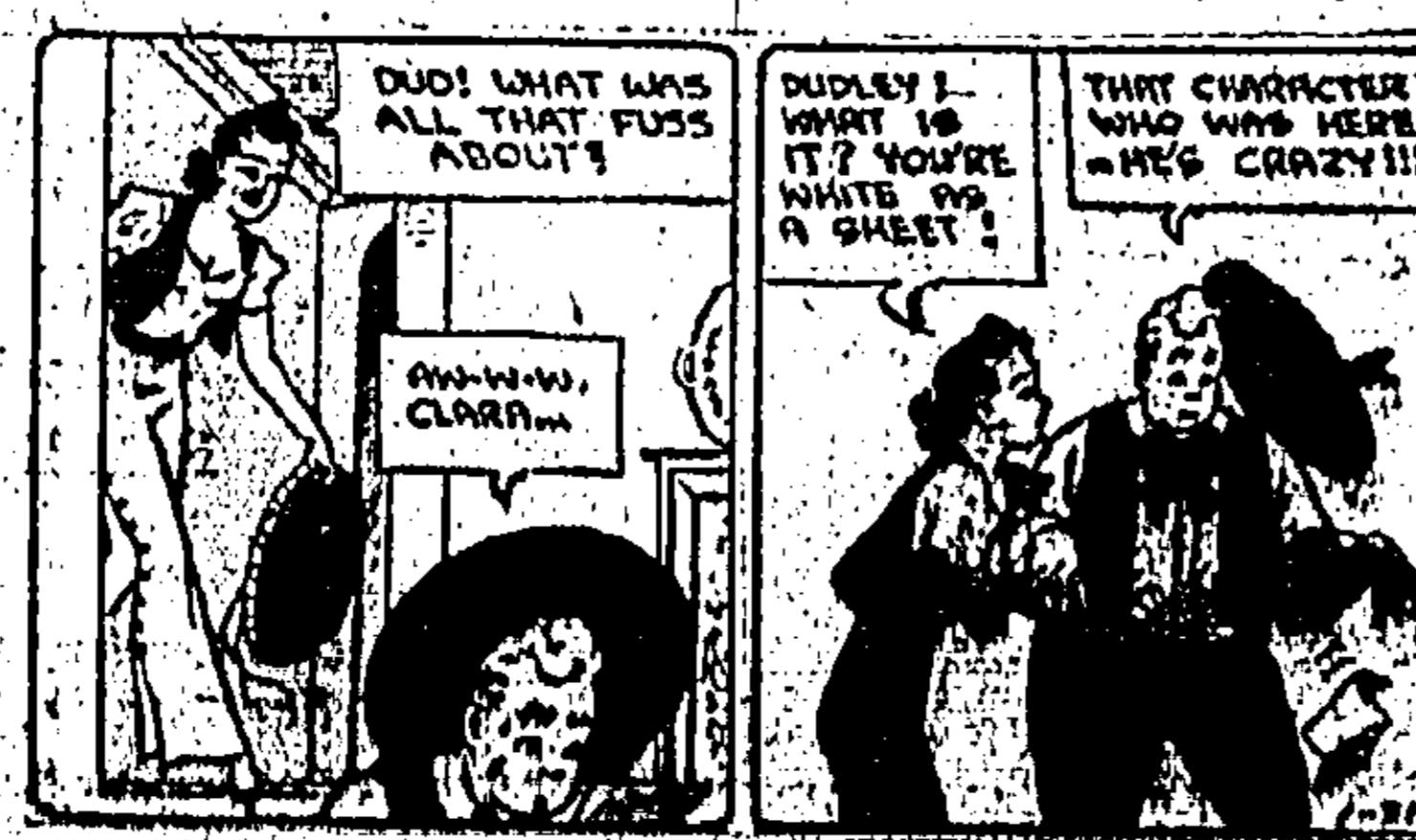
The remainder of the staff consists of engineers and divers lent to the Government by the Navy, isolated where necessary by members of the Public Works and Harbour Departments. The Government has also hired the requisite salvage equipment and chartered the crane ship "Selsyu Maru," which was one of the most modern Japanese salvage vessels and was based at Singapore throughout the war.

Mansan Maru

One of the biggest tasks was the wreck of the Japanese vessel "Mansan Maru" lying just under a 100-ton crane at Whampoa Dock. It was necessary in this case to cut the vessel underwater (by means of the latest oxy-acetylene torch) which was developed by Captain Doust and his associates at (Tribecula) into three sections of which two, the bow and the stern, displacing approximately 600 and 600 tons respectively, have already been removed.

An attempt to raise the midship portion of this vessel presented complex problems. First, this section, displacing over 1,000 tons, was up-ended and hung around clear of the base of the 100-ton crane base, in which position an attempt was made to lift it clear of the berth, but the 9-inch steel hawsers used for the purpose parted.

Divers using underwater cutting torches accordingly reduced

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES**ERUPTIONS IN JAPAN**

Tokyo, June 2. The Kyodo News Agency reported today from Nagano that Mount Asama "registered an unusually large eruption" on June 1 and that smoke from 5,000 feet was drifting toward Karuizawa. There was no report on the activity of Mount Aso, which has been erupting spasmodically in the past week, but which as yet has caused no major damage.—Associated Press.

caused by the wrecks and by the urgent need to clear the sites of wharves and dockyards, but it was only natural that certain wrecks had to wait, owing to the special problems attendant on their salvage.

18 Months

It has all along been the intention of Government to reduce expenses to a minimum so that the financial burden on the tax-payer will be as light as possible. Some of the wrecks are, of course, financial liabilities, but the sale of scrap from them and the debiting of expenses incurred on behalf of the rest to the owners or purchasers has meant that the figure of one million dollars authorised by the Treasury at Home should be more than sufficient to cover this programme.

The salvage team is carrying on and though work is complicated by the absence of ship plans, which are being sought for in Japan, and the fact that none of the vessels remaining can be raised by orthodox methods of patching and pumping, it is hoped that the task will be completed within 18 months.

In addition to the above, the Government have raised the Japanese vessel which was a menace to small vessels outside Cau Gow Bay, the river steamers "On Lee" near Tafkoo Dock and "Tung On" outside the typhoon anchorage in Kowloon Bay, together with about 40 minor wrecks.

The sequence of raising vessels has throughout been conditioned by the potential danger

COAL THEFT IN BARRACKS

Four weeks' hard labour was imposed by Mr. d'Almada at Central yesterday on Ip Fat, 27, for stealing 20 catties of coal from the Lyceum Barracks and for being found inside the prohibited area.

Gun Battle Sequel

The gun battle between a party of police and an armed gang in Kennedy Road, near Gap Road, on Saturday night, resulting in the killing of one and the arrest of two alleged robbers, had a sequel before Mr. Salisbury at Central yesterday.

Wong Tae-keung, 24, unlicensed food hawk, and Tse Tak, 30, unemployed, were charged with armed robbery and with the possession of one revolver and five rounds of ammunition.

They were charged with robbing Hung Ping and Chan Yuk-hing, woman, of \$8, one wrist watch, one gold finger ring, one gold chain bracelet, to a total value of \$248.

At the request of DSi MacPherson, they were remanded three days in the police custody for further enquiries.

Money Market

Gold again took the up grade after the week-end recess and closed yesterday at \$275.75 a tael. It had opened at \$274.50 and was down to \$274 for a while before it went up to \$276.75, easing slightly at the close.

Chinese National Currency also showed a slight improvement, rising a few fractions to close at 11½ cents for futures and 17 cents for spot (for CN\$1.00).

Plastics, on the other hand, were easier. Opening at \$11.97 it fell to \$11.82 but went up again to \$11.87 at the close.

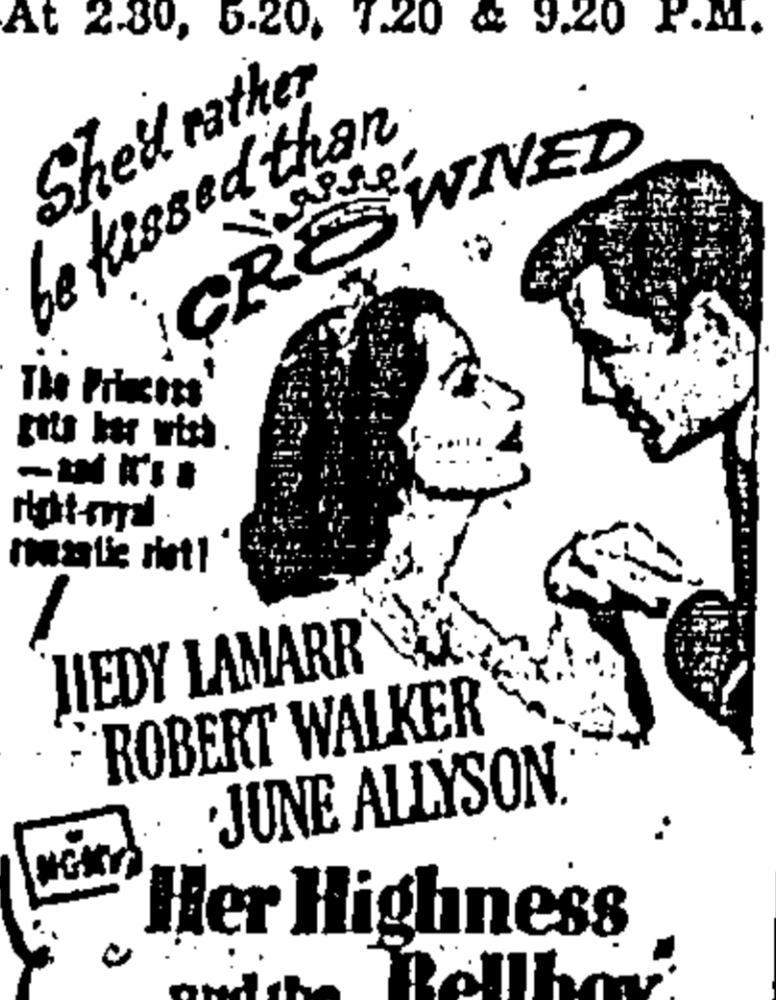
U.S. dollars were slightly easier at \$4.05, and so was Sterling at \$12.28. Australian Pounds were unchanged at \$12.50.

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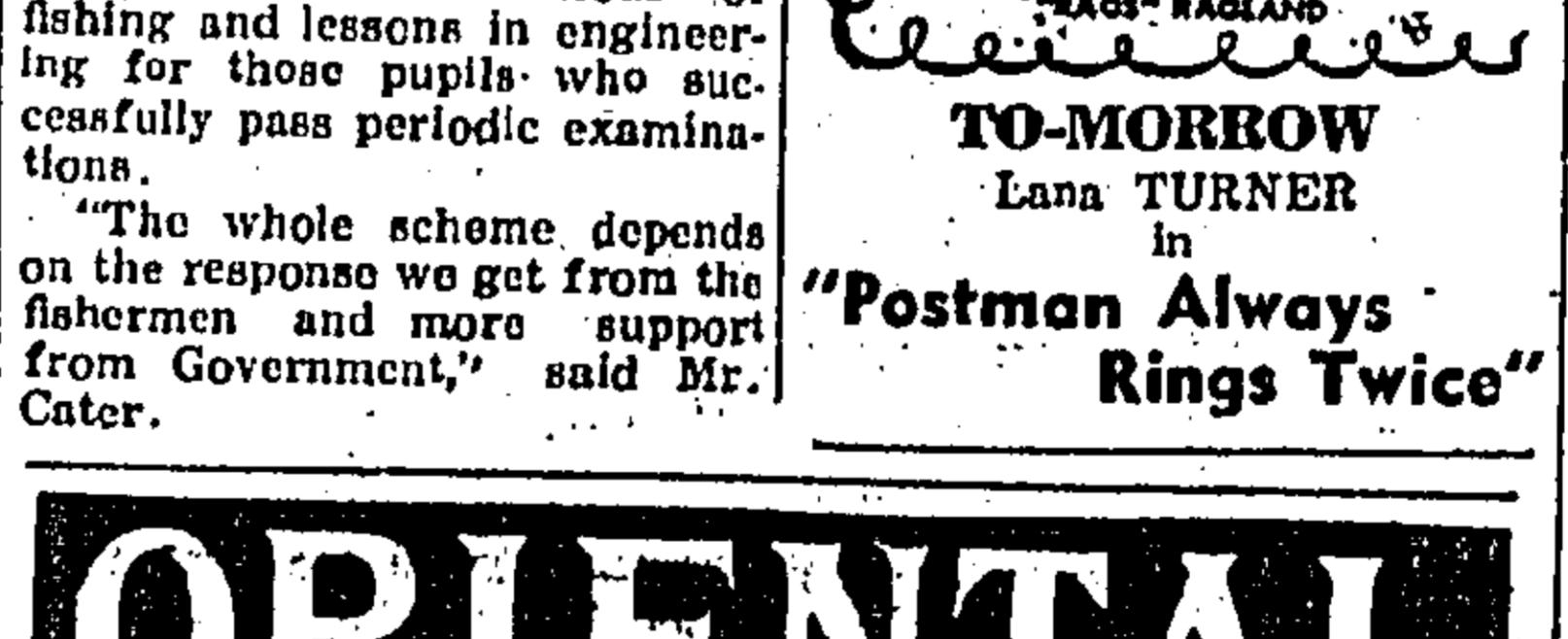
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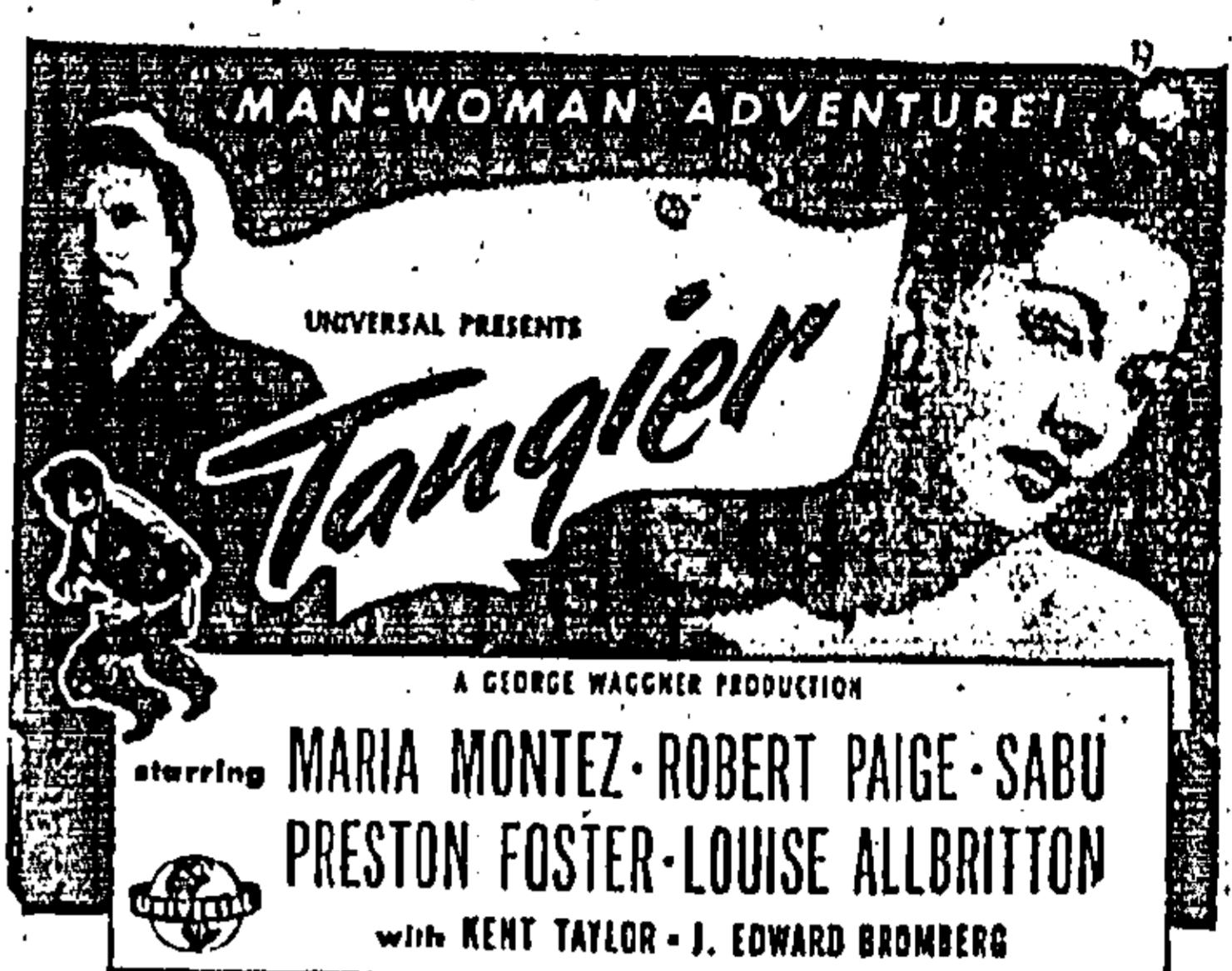
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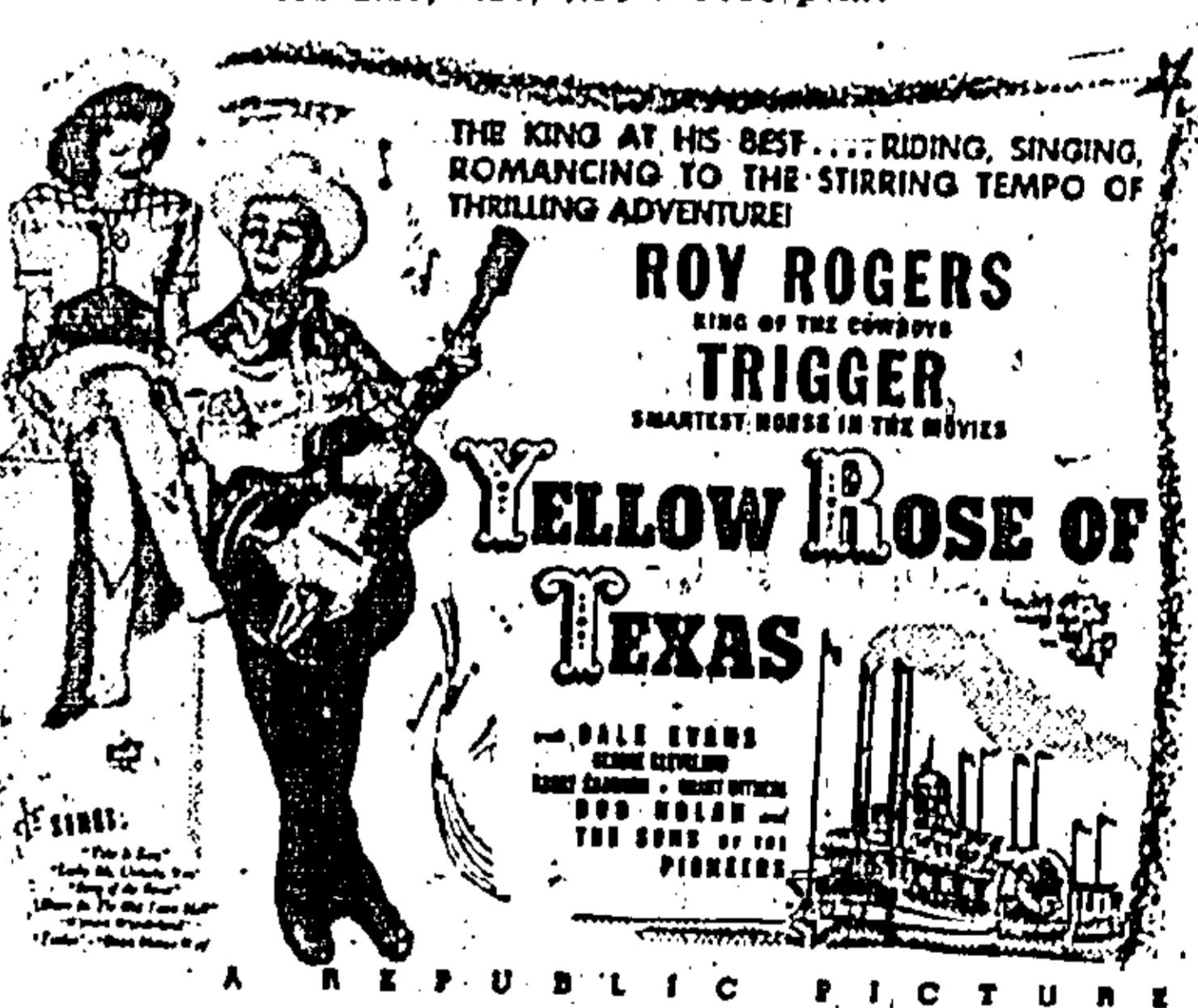
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Drastic Action In Rangoon

Rangoon, June 1. Drastic action by the Government against "police officers" in Burma and, in order banning the Police Union is now regarded as imminent. In order to forestall the possibility of country-wide disturbances as a result of activities of rival cliques in the Police Union.

The Rangoon Police Commissioner today ordered a ban on meetings of policemen at police stations or buildings in the city area.

The city magistrate has refused to release on bail arrested Police Union leaders.

Further arrests of "rebel" officers are reported but there is no official confirmation of this. Followers of the arrested men today called at the Anti-Fascist Peoples Freedom League headquarters demanding the release of their leaders failing which they said that "there will be more disturbances and agitation."

Rangoon is outwardly calm with troops of the 12th Army and the Burma Rifles on duty for the third successive day. Reuter.

WAR ON JEWS?

Damascus, June 1. Announcing a meeting of the Political Commission of the Arab League on Tuesday, Damascus papers reported today: "The Arab League will declare war on the Jews at Thursday's vital meeting." Reuter.

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Future Outlook Is Not Bright

New York, June 1. American foreign traders appear to be about the most frustrated group in the world's business fraternity judging from public utterances and press dispatches from abroad. Wherever they may be operating they are hamstrung by import and export restrictions, foreign exchange control, shortage of American dollars, and political instability.

This generalised picture of American private trading facilities placed in the path of with the Far East. This survey covered China, Hong Kong, Philippines, Siam, British Malaya, Netherlands Indies, French Indo-China, Japan and Korea. Everywhere, the survey showed, the pattern was the same: control and restriction.

They find that the war has helped accelerate the tendency toward making International trade a state function in Far Eastern countries which in turn resulted in stringent government control over imports and conservation of exchange obtained from exports.

But they point out, almost in unison, at the same time, that unless Far Eastern countries ease government controls over imports and exports, the outlook for increased trade between the Orient and the United States is anything but bright.

The Far Eastern Division of the Office of International Trade of the Department of Commerce published a survey of prospects

Free Trade

Also, China's heavy excess of imports over exports and her critical economic situation have resulted in government controls which in turn have fettered her foreign trade and caused an unfavourable trade balance.

The survey offered no solution, but insofar as American traders are concerned they would have all restrictions on foreign exchange lifted and would advocate a return to an "unfettered" foreign trade programme as a major solution of the current Chinese export and import crisis.

This is the American view as seen from here. The Chinese side of the picture has yet to be fully and authoritatively presented. Until that is done, there will continue to be American business agitation against Chinese restrictions.—Central News.

Netherlands View On Indonesia

The Hague, June 1. A usually well-informed source, the Netherlands News Agency, stated that, despite the disappointing results regarding the implementation of the Linggadjati agreement, the Netherlands Government still adhered to the basic agreement.

The visit of the Netherlands Minister, Dr. Louis Beel, and the Overseas Territories Minister, Dr. Jan Jonkman, for an on-the-spot survey of the situation was a disappointment, it was added.

The shortage of foreign exchange in the Republic is said to be so great that the present situation can last for another two or, at the most, three months.

In the republic are goods to the value of 400,000,000 guineas which had to be exported.

It was reported that it was impossible to reach an agreement on the return of property to non-Indonesians.

The Dutch maintained that it should be given back to owners after reasonable compensation being paid to the republic, but the view of the Indonesians was that they had the right to these goods and to foreign exchange resulting from their sale, and that a small compensation should be paid to the owners.

It was stated that a loan was necessary for the reconstruction of Indonesia but this could not be obtained unless guaranteed by the Dutch.

Americans wanted full information regarding economic possibilities and would only lend money if they were convinced that a loan was financially and commercially justified.—Reuters.

GAOL STORY DENIED

Singapore, June 1. Allegations that British soldiers are sleeping in lice and bug infested cells in Singapore gaol quoted in the Commons by Mrs. Bradneck were denied yesterday by Mr. L. L. F. Cramm, Singapore Inspector of Prisons. He told the Malaya Tribune that "lots of trips to usually put up in the House of Commons. I know my job."

Air Crashes Toll

New York, June 1. Another survivor of Thursday's air crash at LaGuardia Airfield, New York, died today, raising the death toll to 42. Six survivors are still in hospital. This brings the death total from air crashes in the United States since Thursday to 95. Fifty-three persons were killed when a Skymaster transport plane crashed in Maryland on Friday.

The week-end has seen three violent deaths, including 146 in fatal road accidents. This total is expected to increase. Reuter.

Japan Occupation In Right Perspective

New York, June 1. The New York Herald-Tribune editorially commented today: "The complete lack of open opposition to the American occupation forces has tended to create disillusion in the United States."

"Americans are inclined to believe the American job in Japan has been completed when the truth is that the most important work has barely begun. This could not be finished, or even half done, without the understanding and support of the American people."

"If this understanding and support is given, there are fair prospects that a considerable portion of the American programme can be carried out."

"There will be continued resistance from men of old Japan, of whom many thousands still hold office as bureaucrats or even as elected officials, but new leaders should arise among the Japanese to take over a larger and larger share of the American burden."

"It is cheering to note that Gen. MacArthur currently is engaged in encouraging such new leaders. He is said to have

(Continued from Page 6) expect a unit with its limited teaching resources and heavy training commitments to undertake the more difficult types of teaching. There are the added complications of its size—it might be a Dental Centre of three; its location or dispersal—and it might be spread over a wide area, or, as is the case with a Gunner coast regiment, dispersed over three islands; and the wide variety of subjects that will be available—they total more than a hundred, ranging from simple handicrafts to advanced study of the professions.

Such training will, therefore, be provided at garrison level, where better qualified instructors will be pooled and at home, by making use firstly of Army facilities, and then (by cooperation with the local civil authorities concerned) of civilian facilities such as technical schools, evening institutes and art schools.

The Army itself will maintain five colleges, which will be run eventually on "Polytechnic" lines, and 105 Education Centres, operating as satellites of the "Poly," all properly authorised and staffed (and visited by Ministry of Education Inspectors), while the War Office Correspondence Scheme will be continued.

What of the Regular soldier? For him, there will not only be the compulsory general education and the facilities for higher training; there is also resettlement advice so that he may use his opportunities to find a productive occupation on return to civil life. And Mr. Belcher, when opening one of the Army's new colleges, expressed the hope that it would be possible, in the post-war period to retain at least one such institution for the benefit of the regular.

Citizens In Uniform

These, then, are the broad outlines of the scheme and the way it is being tackled. An immense task, still in the shape of things to come, fraught with difficulties and problems, it is

Police Constables Acquitted

"As I regard the evidence given by the complainant with the gravest suspicion I must, by the same standard, regard the evidence given by the Police constables more favourably than that of the complainant, and must accordingly discharge the accused."

This formed part of the judgment rendered by Mr. W.H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday in the case in which PCC Chan Shuk-kei was charged with demanding \$90 with menaces from Man Hing-lap at Lokmochau on April 15 and 16, and with malicious damage to three bags of rice on April 19.

Continuing, His Worship said: "At the same time, I do not consider defendant a fit person to be a Police Constable and would recommend departmental action to be taken against him."

"I must, however, point out that accused has been acquitted on the charges preferred against him and that, consequently, no departmental action should be taken against him in respect of these alleged offences."

At yesterday's hearing, Chan called three Chinese constables (PCC Kwok Kan, Tsang Sum-chuen and Pun Chi) as his witnesses. All the constables testified that at no time did they hear accused making the demand for the money from the complainant.

PCC Pun Chi, who was one of the constables on patrol duty with accused when the alleged incidents took place, said that he did not see the defendant breaking open any rice bags nor kicking down any fish baskets. Furthermore, complainant was

not on the lorry containing fish as he was, at the material time, driving the vehicle carrying rice.

In reply to His Worship, witness admitted that the police received no specific instructions to search lorries while on patrol duty. The searching of trucks, he said in reply to another question, did not (in his opinion) exceed their duties.

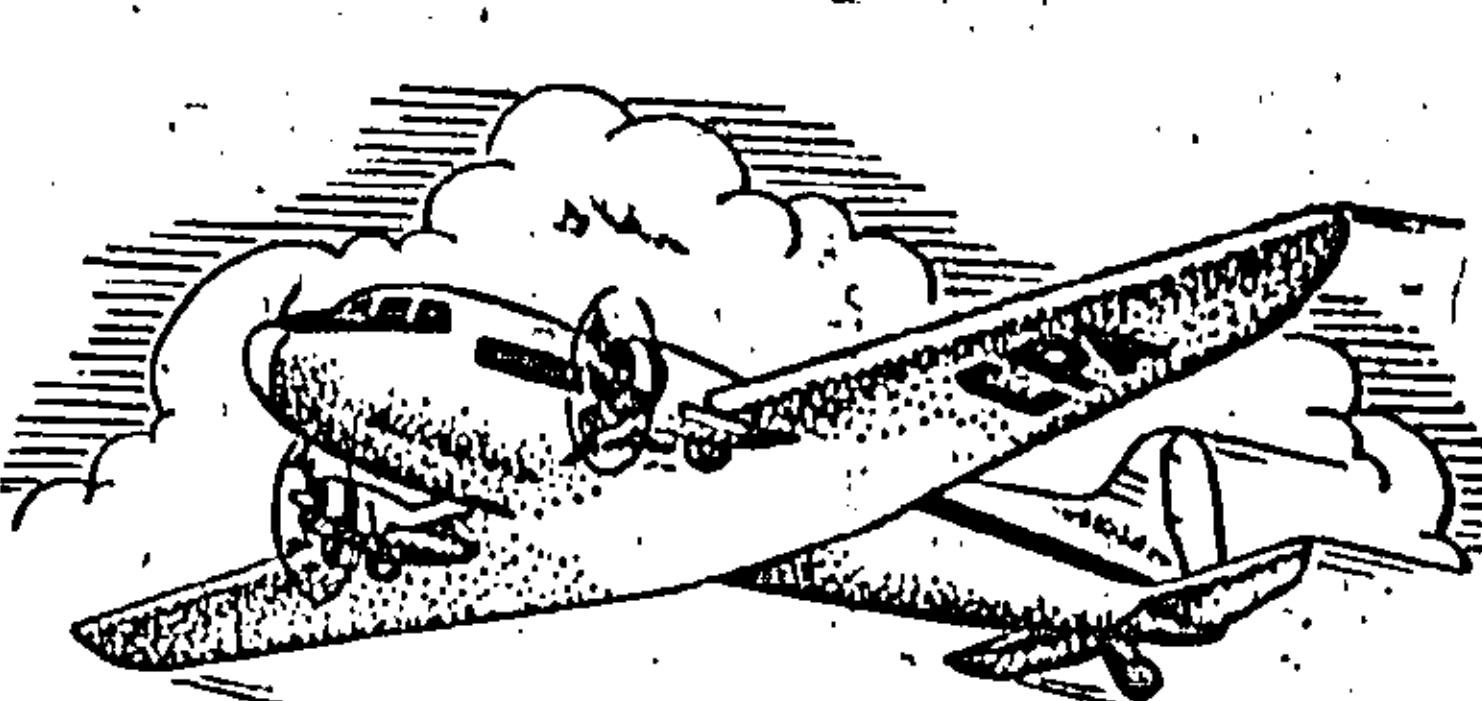
Persistent Women

Vienna, June 2.

A delegation of Austrian women accompanied by the Austrian Chancellor, Leopold Figl, visited Russian headquarters today to ask Soviet assistance in bringing back before winter the Austrian prisoners of war in Russia.

Austrian officials say more than 100,000 Austrians still are prisoners of the Russians, Poles and Yugoslavia.

Deputy Russian commander Colonel-General Zheltov assured the women their request would be forwarded to Moscow.—Associated Press.



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THE TREATY WITH JAPAN
Given Top Priority In WashingtonNot Being Left
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Washington, June 2.
Informed officials reported today that the Japanese peace treaty has now been given top priority in the State Department planning.

They said as a result of the progress made the United States could be expected within the future to suggest consideration, with other interested nations, of preparations for a peace conference.

Secretary of State George C. Marshall still has not disclosed just how many nations the United States will suggest should participate in the actual writing of the treaty. However, the officials said, the United States will suggest that most, if not all, will not call for this to be left solely to the Big Four nations as has been done with the European treaties.

Plane crashes killed 103, of which 95 were in two of the worst plane tragedies in the nation's history.

Forty-seven were drowned and 100 died in miscellaneous accidents.

New York, with 80 deaths, led the states in the number of fatalities. Forty-two of the dead were victims of the United Airlines plane crash at LaGuardia Field.

California had the largest number of traffic fatalities, with 33 reported.—United Press.

FAMILIES IN JAPAN

Tokyo, June 2.
The first wives and families of Australian troops of the British Commonwealth Occupation Force arrived in Japan today aboard the steamer Taiping. A message of welcome was broadcast to them as the ship steamed up the Inland Sea to Kure and a military band played as she docked.

The families of United Kingdom troops are due to reach Japan on June 9.—Reuter.

Soon as Possible
As far as the time for holding the conference is concerned, the officials said the aim now is "as soon as possible" since Gen. Marshall has given the matter top priority. The theory which prevailed when Mr. James F. Byrnes was Secretary that the Japanese peace conference should await the conclusion of the war against Japan to enjoy participation in drafting the treaty. Indications are that the United States will suggest that most or all of the 11 member nations of the Far Eastern Commission participate in drafting the treaty.

Empire Talks
Canberra, June 2.
The Prime Minister, Mr. Joseph Chifley, said today the prospects of holding Empire peace talks on Japan at Canberra are more favourable.

He said Britain is prepared to send Ministers if the conference is postponed until August and Australia is trying to induce the Dominions to act likewise.—United Press.

Viceroy Discloses Plan
To The Indian Leaders

(Continued from Page 1)

Second Assembly

1. Arrangements paving the way for Hindustan, on the one hand, and Pakistan, on the other, and at the same time taking care of all public services of an All-India character until these are finally allocated between the two main communities.

2. Some plans that will enable the Central Government machinery to cope with the interim situation.

Defence Problems

5. Subsequent urgent talks on the future of Indian defences to determine whether a divided India still permits of common defence arrangements or whether the services must be split, which some leaders declare would be calamitous, not only for India but for world security.

6. Urgent talks upon the distribution and the redistribution of the Indian civil services.

7. Discussion on the diplomatic representation of the two separate nations abroad as well as in each other's capitals and countries.

All these problems can and doubtless will be solved if India divides, but the general impression among those following the situation from the London end is that there is not a day to be lost.—Reuter.

Plan Scrapped?

New Delhi, June 2.
Reliable sources said today that the British Cabinet Mission's original plan for a unitary administration of India has been scrapped completely and was not even discussed at today's round table conference.

Viscount Mountbatten has recently asked the Indian leaders to give their answer before midnight tonight to his alternative plan based on the division of India, including the partition of Bengal and the Punjab Provinces and the appointment of an international commission to determine the demarcation of boundaries.—United Press.

Bombay Curfew

Bombay, June 2.
The Bombay police today imposed a 6-hour curfew on the locality on the fringe of the mill area north of Bombay.

A seven-day curfew from 7.30 p.m. to 6.00 a.m. (local-time) was imposed on another area.

It was believed that the precautions were taken against observance of "United India" Day by certain riotous bodies. Workmen in most of the city's textile mills stopped work today but their city was said to be peaceful.

It was reported from Calcutta

Crisis Day

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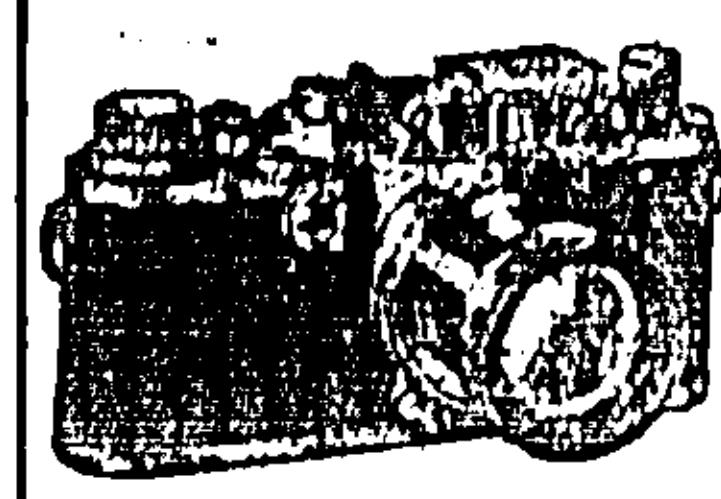
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England's Team For Test

London, June 2. The England team which will play South Africa in the first Test match at Nottingham on June 7, 8, 10 and 11 will be selected from the following:

N. W. D. Yardley, Captain, Yorkshire; W. J. Edrich, Middlesex; J. W. Martin, Kent; L. Hutton, Yorkshire; D. Compton, Middlesex; C. Washbrook, Lancashire; D. V. P. Wright, Kent; W. Hollies, Warwickshire; H. Doherty, Warwickshire; A. V. Beddoe, Surrey; T. G. Evans, Sussex; and C. Cook, Gloucester.

The final choice will be made on the morning of the match. The selectors will be Group Captain A. J. Holmes, Sussex; R. W. Robins, Middlesex; J. C. Clay, Glamorgan, and N. W. D. Yardley.

It is almost certain that they will omit one of the bowlers when they announce the team. If the present weather continues and the ground remains hard, either Wright or Hollies may be asked to stand down. Both, however, will no doubt be included if the wicket favours spin bowlers, with Martin as the possible twelfth man. Associated Press.

Easy Passage For France

Paris, June 1. Having won the first two singles and the doubles, France assumed a place in the next round of their Olympic armour, are beginning to agitate for some rapid improvement.

Bon Thackery of the United Press, wrote from Seattle, Washington: "America's female swimming stars have got good figures in one sense, but they are not the type to win at the 1948 Olympic Games."

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Where U.S. Takes Back Seat

London, June 1. In an era of ever-increasing New World predominance in the lists of world's record holding athletes, it apparently remains for the ladies—the swimming ladies—to maintain superiority for Europe in one phase of international competition at least.

Ever since 1908, when the earliest records were tabulated, Europe's enthusiastic swimming girls have done rather more than just keep their neatly helmeted heads above water in the major international swimming events, and even now, in the balm-shaken, unauthorised swimming halls of many war-battered European cities, they are continuing to chip those vital seconds from their pre-war record-breaking times.

In fact, so great is their grip on the present field of international competition that only two present world's records—California Ann Curtis' 880 yards time and Brazilian Maria Lenk's 200 metres breaststroke mark are featured on the Honour Roll of non-European countries. Just how much credit is due to these hard-training ladies, and particularly to the Dutch and Danish stars is evident when it is remembered that among man swimmers the situation is exactly reversed—American stars are leading all the way.

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American Baseball

In the National League header, moving into third place in league standings, half a game ahead of Brooklyn.

John Sain shut out Pittsburgh in the opener, 2 to 1 for his fifth victory. Boston took the second game 8 to 7. Cully Rikkards, Pittsburgh outfielder hit a two run homer in the eighth inning to force the nightcap into extra innings. Second baseman Conn Yan's long fly bounced off Rikkards glove in the 10th, sending Outfielder Johnny Hopp home with the winning run.

Rookie Harry Taylor pitched his second victory and personally knocked one of four St. Louis hurlers out of the box to give Brooklyn a 6 to 5 edge. Taylor's drive hit Ted Wilks in the face.

Six runs in the seventh inning gave New York a wild night cap 13 to 10 after the Giants had dropped the opener to Cincinnati 5 to 3.

Catcher Clyde McCullough's eighth inning triple drove in Chicago's winning run, the Cubs beating Philadelphia 4 to 3. In the American League Joe DiMaggio batted New York to a 13 to 9 victory over Cleveland with a four run eighth inning homer—his second homer in a game in which six circuit blows were hit.

Hoppers by outfielder Jeff Heath and shortstop Vern Stephens gave St. Louis a 7 to 2 victory over Philadelphia.

Score:

National League		
(First game)		
Pittsburgh	R. H.	X
Boston	2	9
(Second game)		
Pittsburgh	7	10
Boston	8	14

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Minor Baseball Standings

San Francisco, June 2. Minor baseball standings, including June 1 games:

International League

Team	Won	Lost
Jersey City	25	16
Montreal	27	14
Newark	18	19
Rochester	18	21
Baltimore	18	22
Buffalo	17	22
Toronto	15	23

American Association

Team	Won	Lost
Kansas City	22	14
Indianapolis	21	14
Louisville	23	21
Milwaukee	17	18
St. Paul	19	22
Columbus	19	23
Minneapolis	18	25

Pacific Coast

Team	Won	Lost
San Francisco	30	23
Oakland	30	28
Los Angeles	35	29
Portland	28	29
Sacramento	31	33
San Diego	24	32
Seattle	27	30
Hollywood	27	30

Texas League

Team	Won	Lost
Houston	30	18
Fort Worth	27	22
Shreveport	26	24
Dallas	27	26
Beaumont	26	28
Oklahoma City	23	28
Tulsa	29	29
San Antonio	20	29

Southern Association

Team	Won	Lost
New Orleans	31	19
Mobile	28	20
Chattanooga	27	23
Atlanta	23	24
Nashville	20	28
Memphis	21	21
Birmingham	23	27
Little Rock	18	31

ASSAULT WINS

New York, June 2. Assault won the 61st running of the Suburban Handicap at the Belmont race track to become the third horse in racing history to win \$500,000.

Assault, owned by Robert J. Kleberg, of Texas, and ridden by Jockey Eddie Arcaro, won the mile and a quarter race in 2:01.4.

The victory was worth \$40,100.

To the clubfoot four-year-old son of Bold Adventure, boasting the earnings for three seasons to

\$538,570.

Ticket holders received \$4.20.—Associated Press.

MINIATURE SOCCER

A miniature football game on Sunday at Cheung Sha-wan between Emergency Unit and Young Indians resulted in a two-all draw.

Young Indians opened the scoring through I. Ali but before half time Hashim Ahmed equalised for the Police.

Inspector Wall gave his side the lead 10 minutes after the restart but just before time Kikaboy scored for Young Indians.

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Japanese Appeal To Labour

Tokyo, June 2. Premier Teisho Katayama, in his first radio appeal to the nation, today asked labour to restrict its demands to the minimum and co-operate with the government for the nation's recovery.

"For one who has worked over 30 years in his life to improve the labourer's position, it is with the deepest regret that I have to make such a request, but every Japanese must make sacrifices to cope with the long struggle ahead," Katayama said.

He said these sacrifices must be made proportionately, with those who became rich during wartime bearing the greatest burden. He also called for a reduction of government expenditures.

Katayama expressed confidence that Japan, through the peace treaty, can become a member of the "democratic world" and begin a new life."

At the same time Katayama expressed the need of a spiritual renaissance for the Japanese to become democratic. —United Press.

Bobby Locke Wins Fourth Tournament

Newton, Mass., June 2. Bobby Locke, the straight shooting South African golfer, has established himself as one of the world's top professionals.

The deadly accurate Locke won the fourth of his six American tournaments on Sunday—the 90 hole, US\$10,000 Goodall Round Robin Competition. He came from behind in the final round to defeat 15 hand-picked rivals with a total of 347 plus 37 points.

Locke's play since his coming to America adds up to 41 strokes under par for 25 rounds for an average of 69.88. His winnings total US\$3,700.—Associated Press.

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BALL MANAGER DEAD

Bradenton, Fla., June 1. Jimmy Wilson, 46-year-old former manager of the Philadelphia Phillies and Chicago Cubs, died here today of coronary thrombosis.

Wilson, for nearly 20 years, was a Major League catcher. From 1924 to 1933 Wilson was a star of the old Cardinals' Gashouse gang.

—Associated Press.

DERBY ENTRY'S GALLOP

New Market, June 2. The Maharaja of Baroda's Derby colt, Sayajiraj Jirao, did a good stripped gallop over a mile and three furlongs yesterday and was ridden by his Epsom jockey, E. Britton. Sayajiraj was reported to have moved freely and well.

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FRANCE BEAT BELGIUM

Paris, June 1. France beat Belgium by four goals to two in an International soccer match played before 30,000 spectators this afternoon.

Each side scored once in the first half and Belgium was unlucky, as at least three shots saw the ball hit the upright with the French goal-keeper well beaten.

Capt. Stewart received his master of arts in music at Columbia University.—United Press.

FREIGHT TRAIN MINED

Peking, June 2. A 20-car freight train was derailed by Communist miners near Yangtze between Tientsin and Peking and resulted in 11 deaths.

It was reported that a number of cars caught fire from gasoline drums.—United Press.

HOLLYWOOD PARK RAGING

Inglewood, Calif., June 2. One hundred of the 500 do

men who work in Hollywood Park

equalling the track record of 144.

The horses paid \$10,000.—Associated Press.

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